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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Francisco PARRA)
Serial No.: 10/006,695) Group Art Unit:
Filed: December 10, 2001) Examiner:
For: PROCESS FOR THE)
MANUFACTURE OF AN EASY)
OPEN DEVICE FOR 'FLOW)
PACK' OF SIMILAR PACKAGES)
WITH LONGITUDINAL SEAMS)
AND TRANSVERSAL)
CLOSURES, OPENING DEVICE)
OBTAINED BY SAID PROCESS)
AND PACKAGE USING IT)

BOX MISSING PARTS
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.52(d)(1)

A Response to Notice to File Missing Parts enclosing an English language translation was filed for this application on March 18, 2002, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.52(d)(1).

Enclosed is the Certification of Translation (statement of accuracy) of the above-identified application stating the accuracy of the translation filed on March 18, 2002. The fee for filing a non-English language specification was paid on March 18, 2002, together with the response to the Notice to File Missing Parts.

Please associate the enclosed statement with the application filed on December 10, 2001, and assigned serial number 10/006,695.

Authorization is hereby given to charge any fees associated with this matter to our deposit account no. 06-0916. If an extension of time is required for filing this statement, this is a request therefor with authorization to charge the extension fee to our deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATION OF TRANSLATION

The undersigned, Alison Sondhaus Carroll, whose address is 6044 Little Falls Road, Arlington, Va 22207 USA, declares and states as follows:

I am well acquainted with the English and Spanish languages; I have in the past translated numerous Spanish documents of legal and/or technical content into English; and I am certified by Georgetown University in Spanish into English translation;

I have been asked to translate a patent specification, entitled "and "Process for the Manufacture of an Easy Open Device for 'Flow Pack' or Similar Packages with Longitudinal Seams and Transversal Closures, Opening Device Obtained by Said Process and Package Using it;"

I hereby declare that the attached translation of the document referenced above is, to the best of my knowledge and ability, a true and accurate translation of the original Spanish document.

And I declare further that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true, and that falsification of these statements and the like is punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code.

I therefore attach my Certification of Translation to the English translation of this document.

April 5, 2002
Date

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